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Attorney Docket No.

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First Inventor

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Title

EMERGENCY VEHICLE TRAFFIC  
SIGNAL PREEMPTION SYSTEM

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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2. ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 68]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
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  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 17]
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- i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
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name in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☐ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
- a. ☐ Computer Reader Form (CRF)
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- ii. ☐ Paper
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☒ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s)) (copy)
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee) ☐ Power of Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1499 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
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(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35  
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17. ☐ Other: .....

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation☐ Divisional☒ Continuation-in-part (CIP)of prior application No.: 10/642,435

Prior application information:

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Continuation-In-Part Application  
Applicants: Aaron D. Bachelder and Conrad F. Foster  
Prior App. Serial No.: 10/642,435  
Prior Filing Date: August 15, 2003  
For: EMERGENCY VEHICLE TRAFFIC SIGNAL  
PREEMPTION SYSTEM

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Title: EMERGENCY VEHICLE TRAFFIC SIGNAL  
PREEMPTION SYSTEM

This application includes fifty-seven (57) pages of specification, ten (10) pages of claims, one (1) page of Abstract and seventeen (17) sheets of drawings.

Also enclosed are copies of Declaration and Power of Attorney, and Assignment as originally filed in Parent Application Serial No. 10/642,435, filed August 15, 2003.

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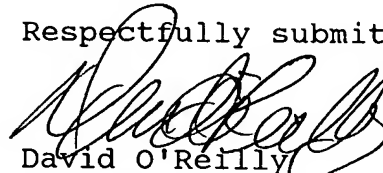
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Please abandon Parent Application Serial No. 10/642,435, filed August 15, 2003, as of the official filing date granted in this Continuation-In-Part application.

This application is also being filed under the provisions of Rule 1.53(b), without the filing fee. This will be provided later accompanied by the prescribed surcharge.

Kindly file this patent application and conduct all correspondence with the undersigned at 1800 Bridgegate Street, Suite 200, Westlake Village, California 91361.

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